

**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
Moritz Bünemann et al.

Serial No.: 10/538,985

Filed: June 15, 2005

For: MILLISECOND ACTIVATION SWITCH  
FOR SEVEN-TRANSMEMBRANE  
PROTEINS

Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned

Examiner: Unknown

Atty. Dkt. No.: VOSS:008US

**REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME TO RESPOND TO  
NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS DATED APRIL 24, 2006**

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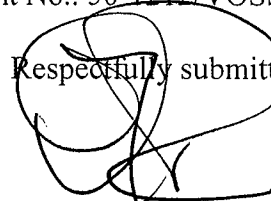
Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), Applicants petition for an extension of time of two months to and including August 24, 2006 in which to respond to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated April 24, 2006.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17, a check in the amount of \$290.00 is enclosed, which includes the process fee (\$225.00) for a two month extension of time.

If the check is inadvertently omitted, or should any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be required for any reason relating to the enclosed materials, or should an overpayment be included, the Commissioner is authorized to deduct or credit appropriate fees from or to Fulbright & Jaworski Deposit Account No.: 50-1212/VOSS:008US.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "David L. Parker", written over the words "Respectfully submitted,".

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